



# Generating muonic force carriers events with classical and quantum neural networks

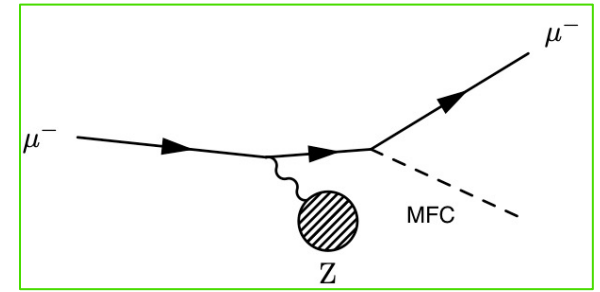
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# Motivation and Overview:

- Use generative models to **sample efficiently** from the underlying distribution of a data set.
- Enables us to sample directly as **input of the conditions** (not like Mad-graph where it has to be fixed from the start).
- The use case is the generation of muonic force carriers (MFCs) events, trained on Mad-Graph simulations.
- We consider classical Conditional GANs and quantum Born machines for this task.



# Muonic Force Carriers

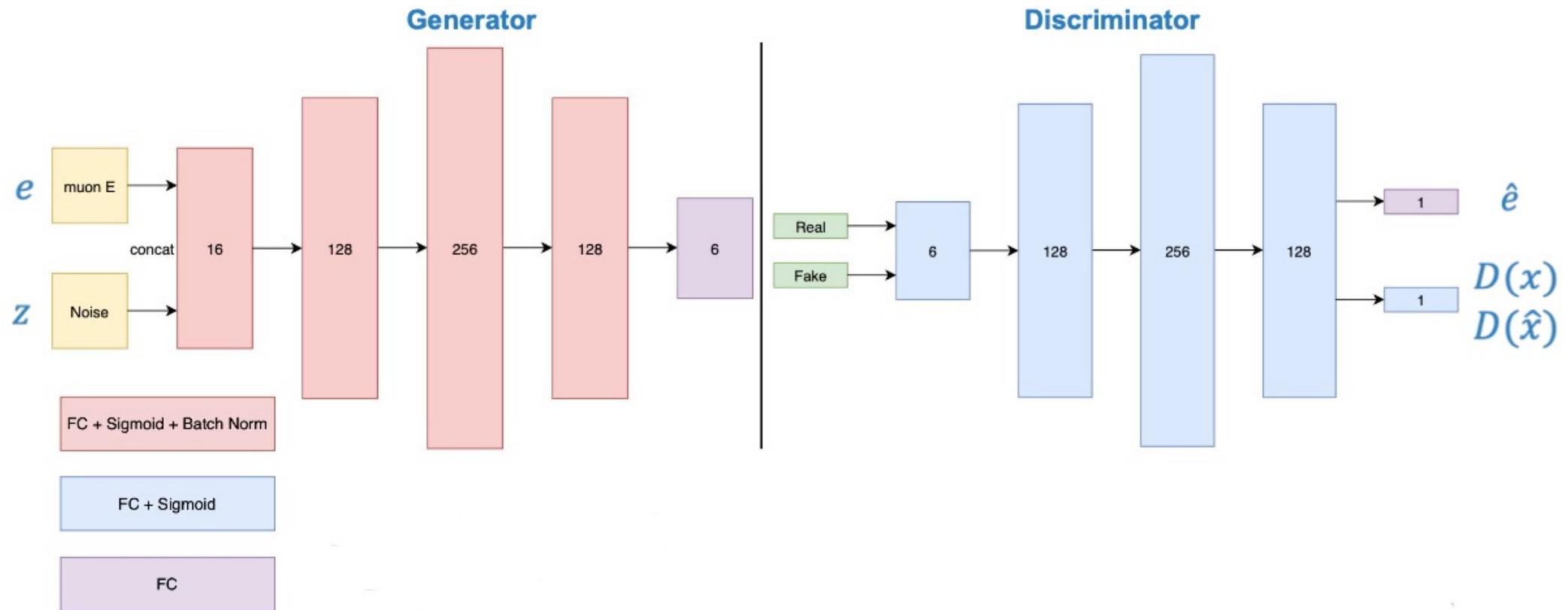


- MFCs appear in different theoretical hypothesis, as a constituent of **dark matter** and could explain the **anomalous magnetic dipole** moment of the muon or the anomaly in the measurement of the **proton radius**.
- 2 use cases: a) muon fixed-target collision (**FASER**).  
b) muon interactions in the **ATLAS**<sup>1</sup> calorimeter.
- We are interested to generates following features for the outgoing muon and MFC: **energy** (E), **transversal momentum** (pt) and **pseudorapidity** ( $\eta$ ).

[1] Galon, I, Kajamovitz, E et al. "Searching for muonic forces with the ATLAS detector". In: *Phys. Rev. D* 101, 011701 (2020)

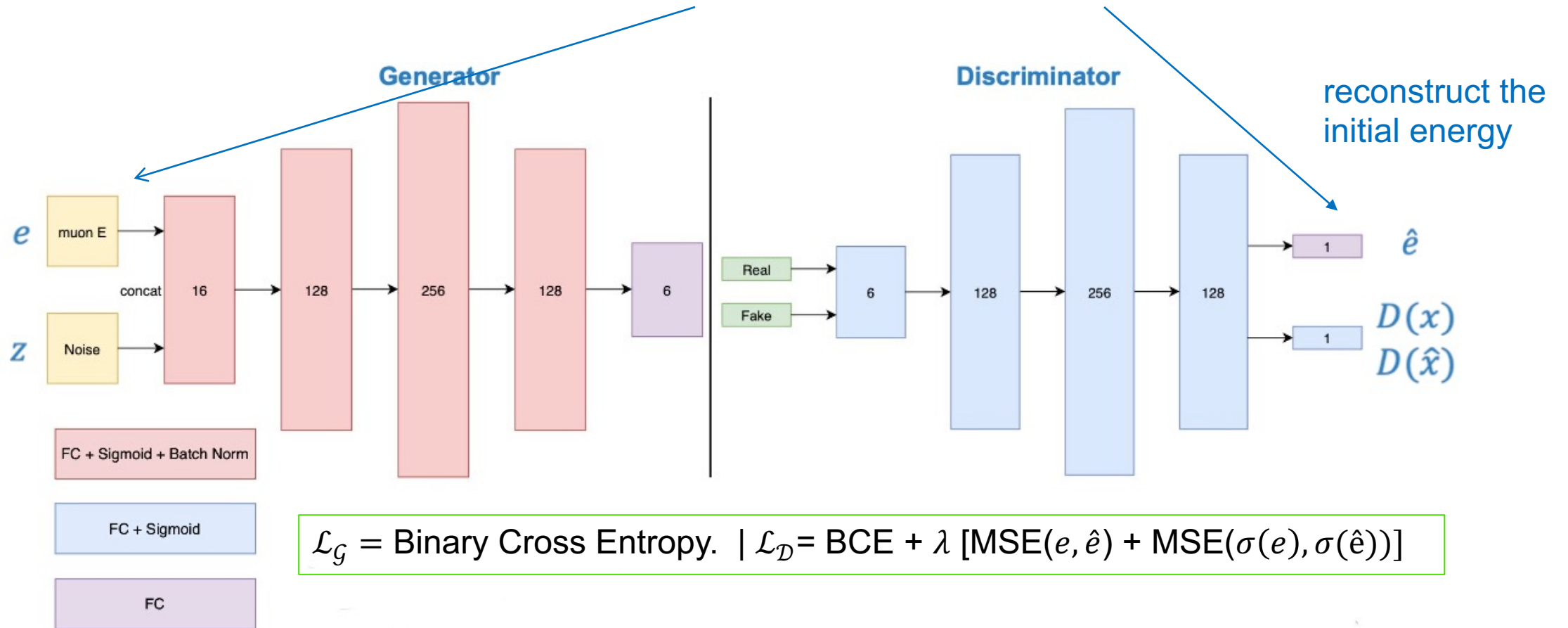
# Conditional Generative Adversarial Network (C-GAN)

*The topology has been optimized for this task.*



# C-GAN: where is the condition?

*The data set is binned in function of the incoming muon's energy*



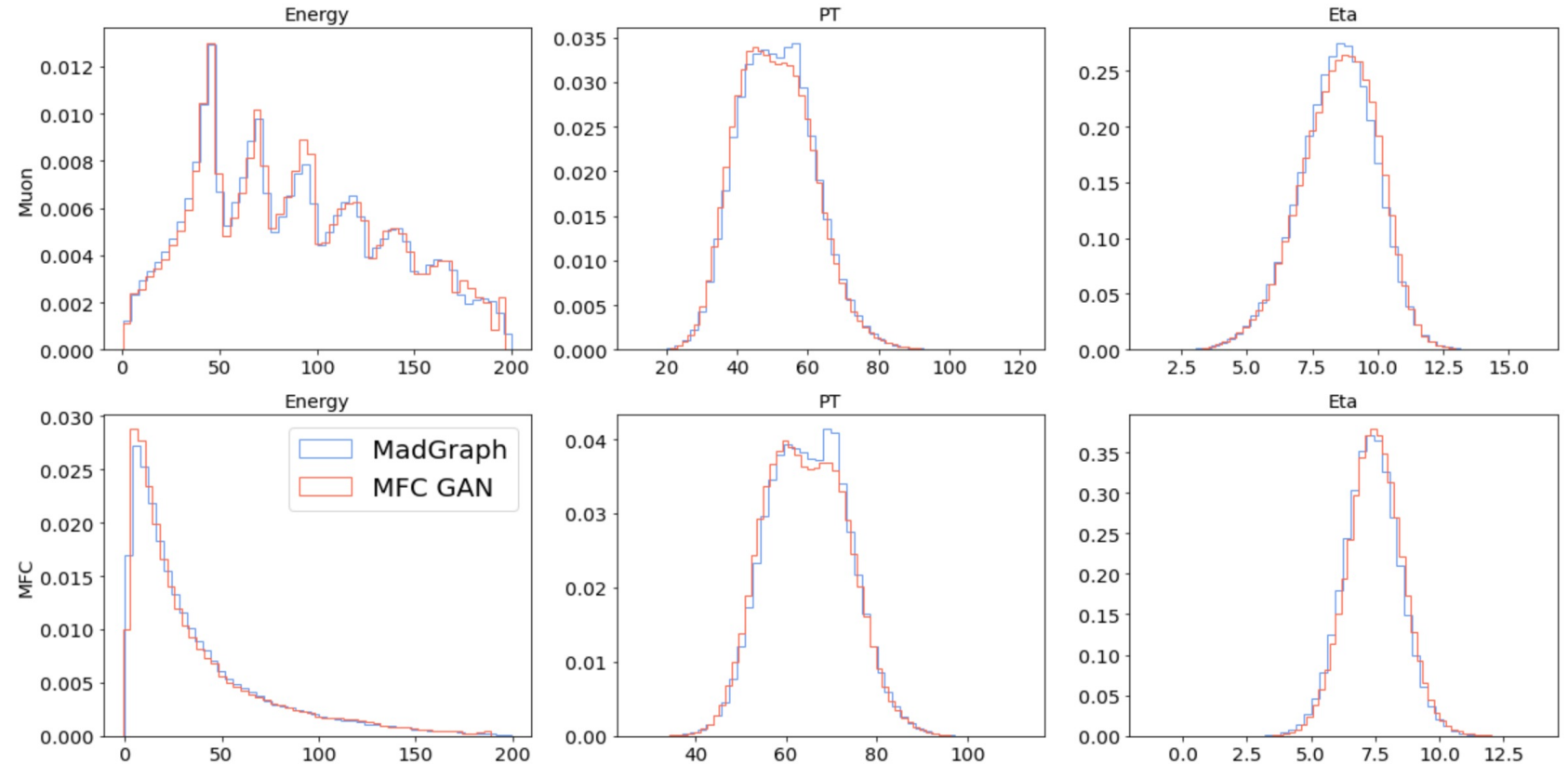
# C-GAN: full results

- Preprocessing: energy scaling, power transform on pt, standard scaling.
- Hyper parameters tuning.

$$TV = \frac{1}{2I} \sum_{i,x} |P_i(x) - Q_i(x)|$$

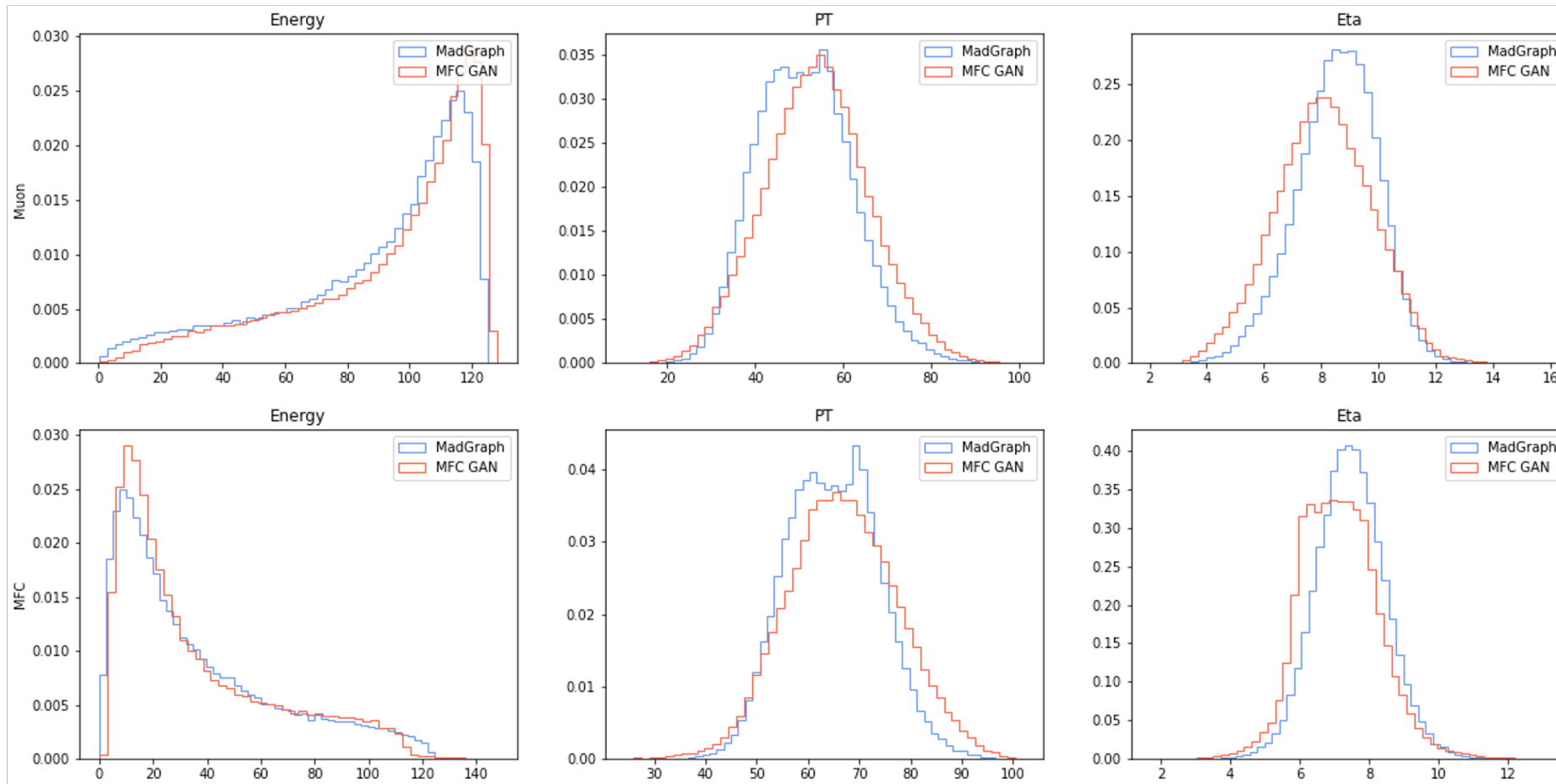
TV = 0.032

I = #features



# C-GAN: Interpolation

125 GeV (not in the training set)





# Variational Methods: basic concept and tools

The Variational Quantum Algorithms Blend Quantum and Classical computation in order to keep the circuit shallow making use of an **optimization based/learning based** approach.

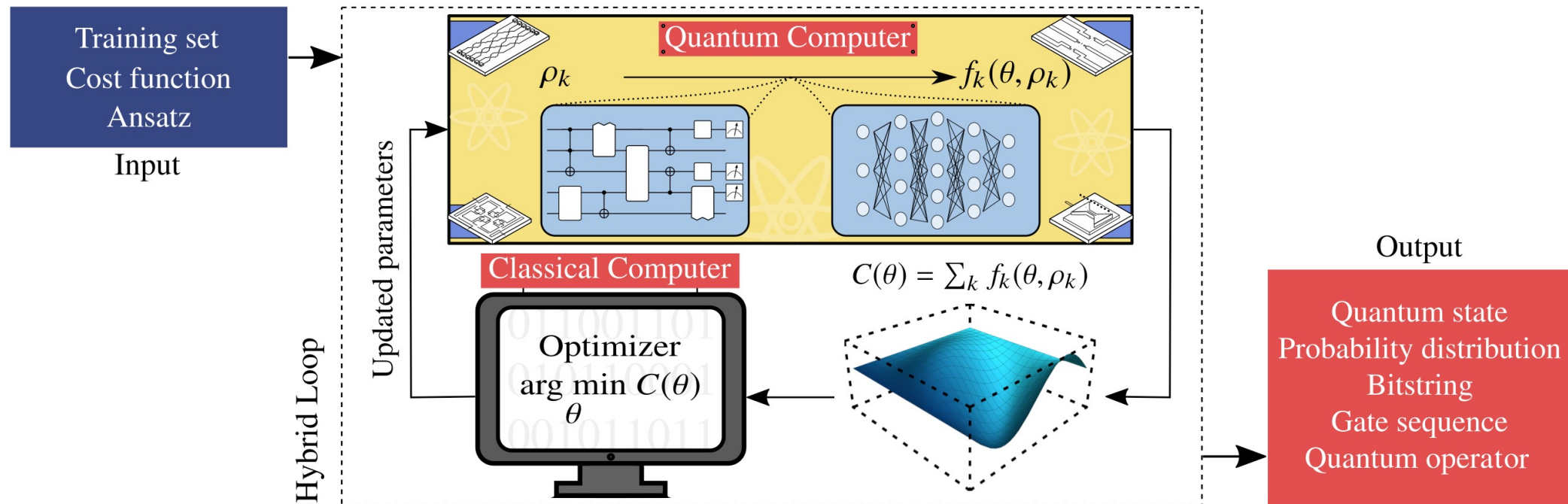
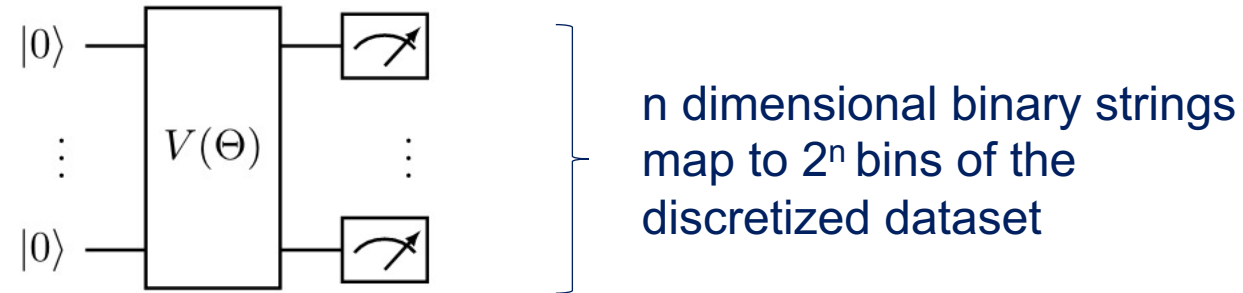


Figure 1. Schematic diagram of a Variational Quantum Algorithm (VQA) [2]

[2] Variational quantum algorithms, <https://arxiv.org/pdf/2012.09265.pdf>

# Quantum Born machine<sup>3</sup>

- Sample from a variational wavefunction  $|\psi(\theta)\rangle$  with probability given by the Born rule:  $p_\theta(x) = |\langle x|\psi(\theta)\rangle|^2$

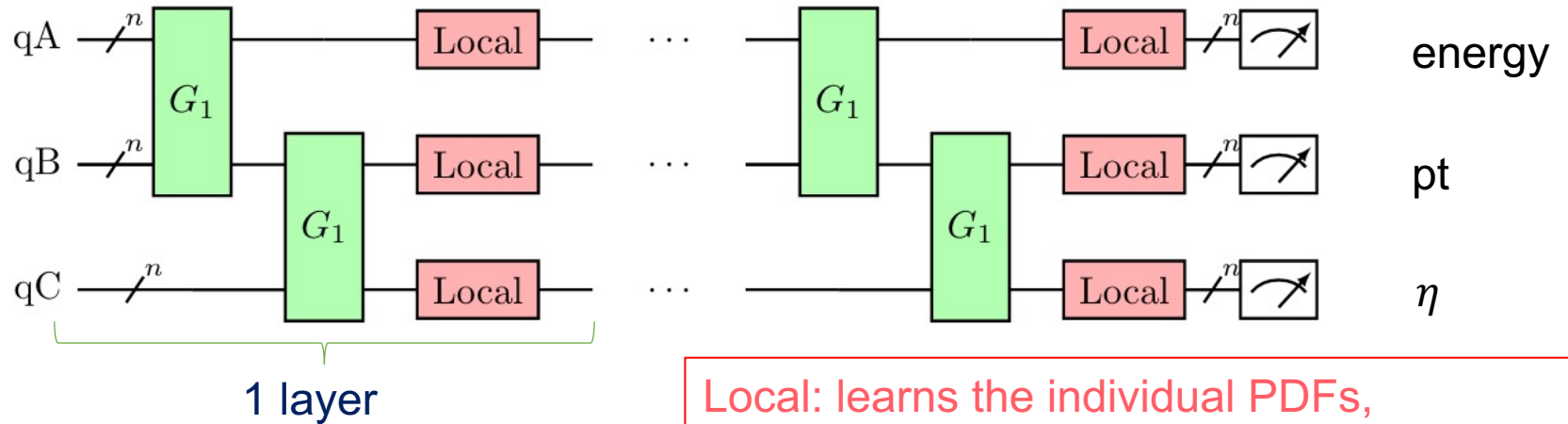


- Only able to generate *discrete* PDFs (continuous in the limit  $\text{\#qubits} \rightarrow \infty$ )
- Maximum Mean Discrepancy:  $MMD(P,Q) = \mathbb{E}_{\substack{X \sim P \\ Y \sim P}}[K(X,Y)] + \mathbb{E}_{\substack{X \sim Q \\ Y \sim Q}}[K(X,Y)] - 2\mathbb{E}_{\substack{X \sim P \\ Y \sim Q}}[K(X,Y)]$  with  $K$  a gaussian kernel  $K(x,y) = e^{-(x-y)^2/\sigma}$  with  $\sigma \in [0.1,1,10,100]$
- Pros: low sample complexity, Cons: weak convergence properties

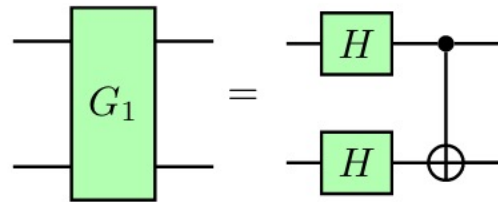
[3] Coyle, B., Mills, D. et al, "The Born supremacy". In: *npj Quantum Inf* 6, 60 (2020)

# Born machine: multiples features<sup>3</sup>

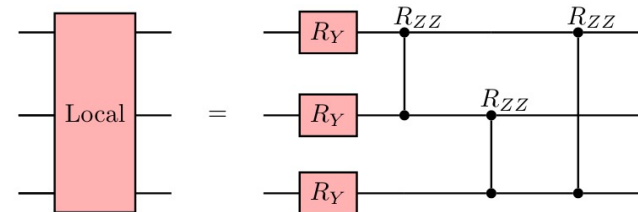
*Use multiples quantum registers*



$G_1$ : creates a Bell state (maximally entangled state) between the first qubit in each register.



Local: learns the individual PDFs, time evolution of an Ising type Hamiltonian, conjectured to be difficult to simulate classically.



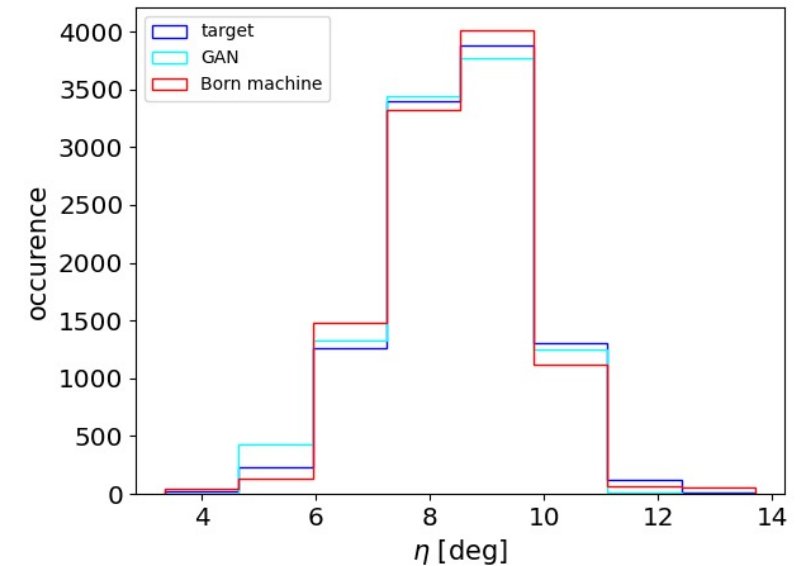
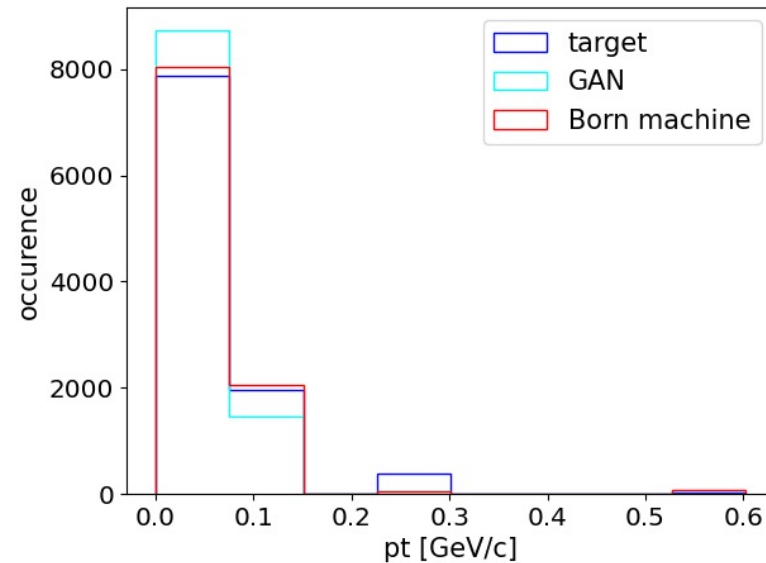
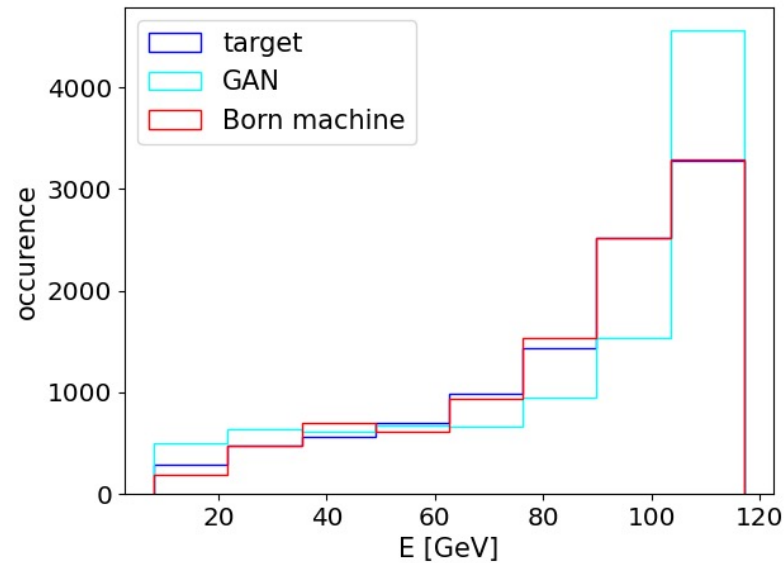
[4] Elton Yechao, Sonika Johri et al, "Generative Quantum Learning of Joint Probability Distribution Functions" In: arXiv 2109.06315

# Results

*Born and CGAN (as a regression task) retrained on the same discretized dataset.*

*Outgoing muon with initial energy of 125 GeV.*

*Preprocessing: min max scaling.*



Total variance:  $TV(P,Q) = 1/2I \sum_{i,x} |P_i(x) - Q_i(x)|$ .

I = #features

$$TV_{GAN} = 0.09 \quad TV_{BORN} = 0.03$$

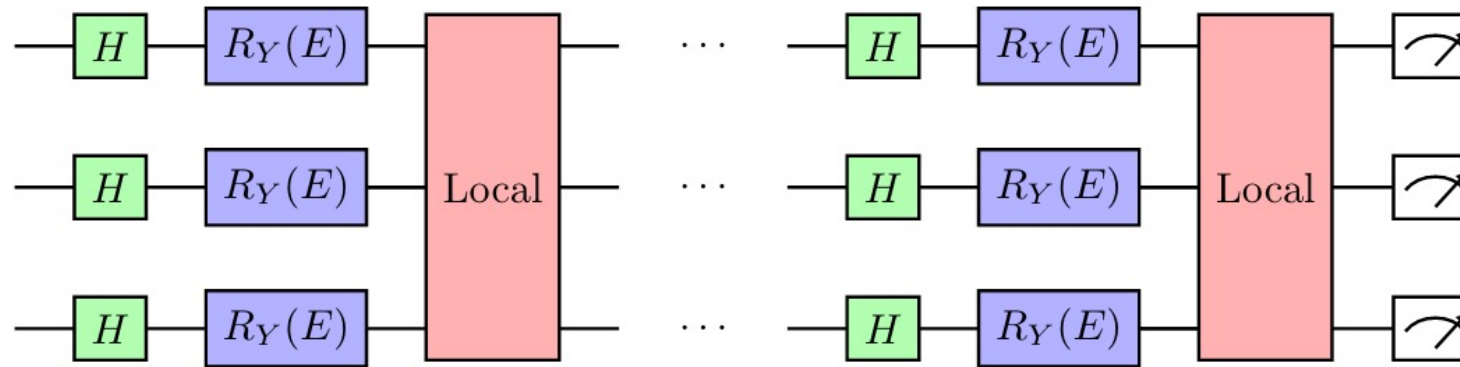
# Conditional Born machine

green: fixed gates  
blue: data encoding gates  
red: trainable gates

*Data encoding: via data-parametrized rotations*

*Input: binning energy  $E$  (scaled between  $[-\pi, \pi]$ )*

*Interpolation: train only on certain energy bins and the model should learn to predict in between.*



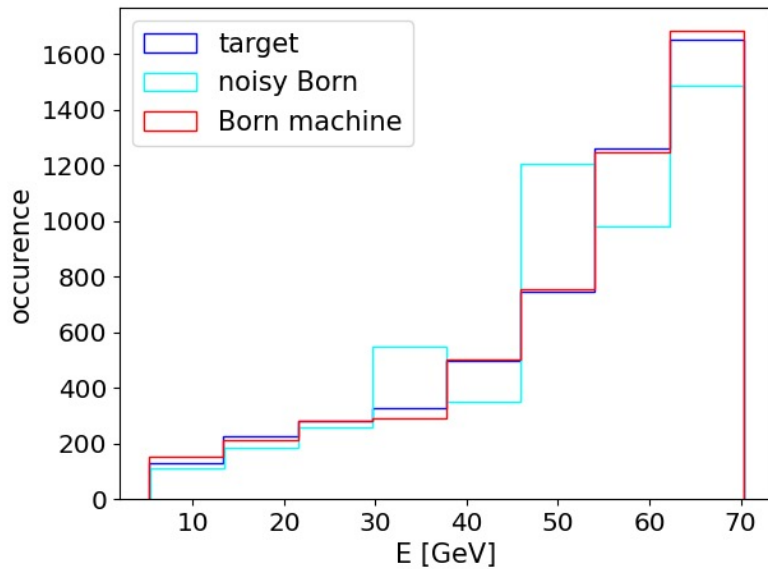
Data re-uploading makes the quantum circuit more expressive as function of the data.

# C-Born machine: results

*Outgoing muon energy*

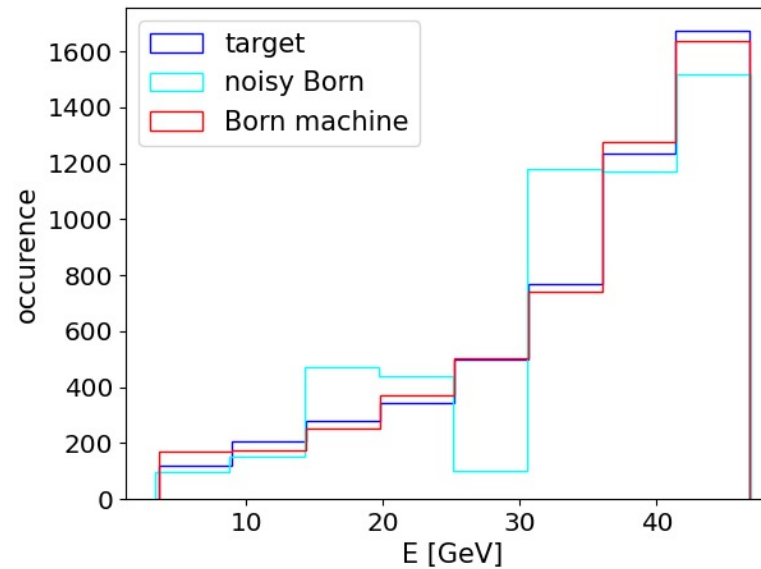
*Noise: mimic exact hardware (gates errors, readout errors). Taken from IBMQ casablanca*

a) train: 150 GeV



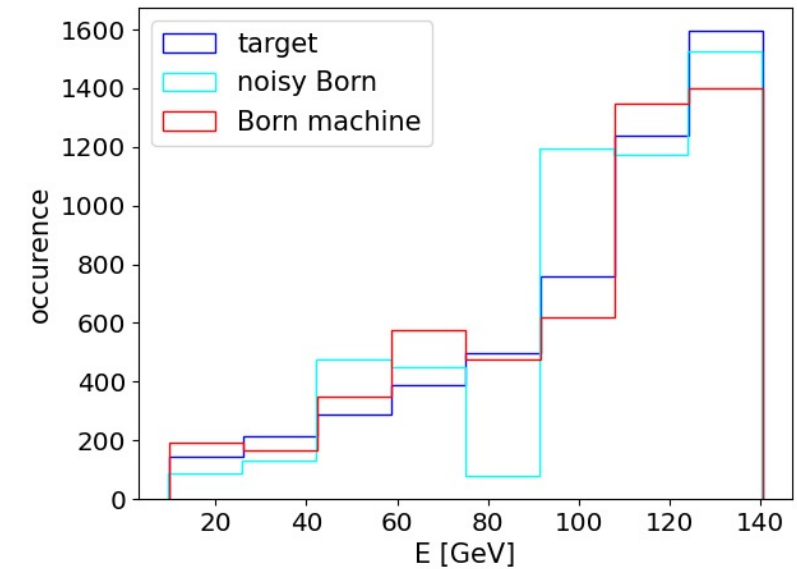
TV = 0.03, TV\_noise = 0.12

b) train 200 GeV



TV = 0.02, TV\_noise = 0.15

c) test 175 GeV



TV = 0.07, TV\_noise = 0.14

# Conclusion:

- Use C-GAN and Born machine to generate MFC events.
- C-GAN is able to generate all features, interpolation is ongoing work
- The Born machine is currently able to learn discrete distributions because of the hardware limitations.
- The Born machine is able to interpolate.
- Future works would be devoted to real hardware and larger physical systems



# Thanks for your attention!

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# Backup: CGAN training

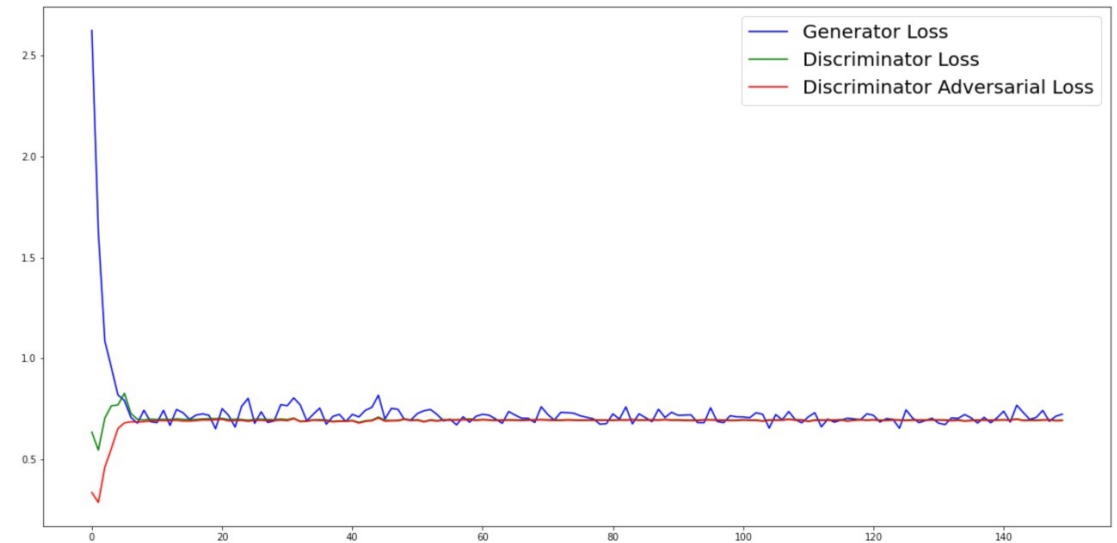
Data Preprocessing:

- $E = E/E_{\text{ingoing}}$
- $P_t = p_t^{0.2}$
- Standard scaling

Hyper-parameters tuning:

- learning rate
- number of epochs
- network's topology
- auxiliary loss weight

Training loss with RMSProp



Wasserstein CGAN did not work well

